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	The following information was obtained on Soviet troops in
	Kugran (1-49/X 49):
1.	The main entrance to the old Wagramer Strasse Kaserne faces Wintzigerodestrasse. There are turnpike and gate guards
	wearing red-bordered black epaulets with artillery insignia. Motor vehicles entering the large parking lot south and
	southeast of the kaserne move via Magdeburger Strasse. The
	following weapons and vehicles were observed in a section of the parking lot which could be overlooked from the out-
	side:
	a. Seven guns with four rubber-tired wheels each, estimated caliber between 80 and 100 mm, horizontally laid medium-long
	barrels without muzzle brakes, large gun shield. One three-axle truck was parked behind each gun.
	b. Saven long-barreled guns with four rubber-tired wheels
	each, caliber about 100 mm, muzzle brake, one cylinder above and two cylinders under the barrels, no gun shields. The
	harrels were upright and rose above the centonment buildings
ŧ	situated closely behind. One three-exle truck was parked behind each gun. (The guns resembled German 88-mm AA guns).
	c. Six to eight armored vehicles were stored in an open
	garage (no details could be observed),
	d. One heavy tank, covered with tarpaulin, was observed from a distance of about 200 meters. Its gun barrel with muzzle
	brake projected over the nose by two thirds of its length.
	e. Two canvas-covered armored vehicles were stored in a small shed.
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	There was very little motor traffic.
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	The Kagran kaserne seemed to be occupied to capacity on 27 February 1950. Troops wore red-bordered black epaulets. Officers wore tank insignia on their collar patches.
	Comment:
	According to previous reports, the 106th Gds Hv Tank SI Regt and, probably, elements of the 46th Gds Mecz Regt of the 13th Gds Mecz Div are stationed in Kagran
	According to the given description, the 14 guns on the parking lot near the kaserne were 76 and 85-mm AA gur

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